



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Emiko Sekimoto Atty. Docket No. 075834.00095
Serial No.: 09/ 909,597 Group Art Unit: 2827
Filed: July 20, 2001 Examiner: David E. Graybill
Invention: "SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND PACKAGE FOR
CONTAINING SEMICONDUCTOR ELEMENT"

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT
ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)**

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to the outstanding Office Action under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a). The time to respond is thus extended to October 3, 2003. Applicant has included a check in the amount of \$110.00 as payment of the required fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a).

Please amend the application as follows:

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